Kathleen Brady - Re: EIR # 37-03 LB Airport Terminal Expansion

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Subject: Re: EIR # 37-03 LB Airport Terminal Expansion

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I received your message and it will be part of the Final EIR.

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11/16/2005 09:09 AM

Subject: EIR # 37-03 LB Airport Terminal Expansion

Dear Ms. Reynolds,

I am writing to you today to request your outspoken support for the unbiased EIR report that recommends expanding the airport terminal to 102,850 Sq Ft. Councilwoman Rae Gabelich would have you think, because of her blustering, intimidating and loud voice, that she represents ALL the people of Long Beach. Well she does not and her narrow minded and misguided approach to "inevitable" airport expansion causes more harm to the "entire" city of Long Beach than any good she might do.

Very soon now the number of passengers will exceed by eight (8) times the original design of maximum capacity at the terminal. Please support the independent EIR # 37-03 report that brings the Long Beach Airport Terminal into the 21^{st} century's requirements. My wife and I only use the terminal once or twice per year but when we do use it we want the city of Long Beach represented by a modern and useful facility. The image of Long Beach is also what is at stake here.

When visitors to the area come through the Long Beach Air Terminal in two years, will they

envision a modern city that is upwardly mobile or one that is once again overcrowded and outdated? If you go through Las Vegas, Chicago, Tampa and other city airports, they use the terminals to "sell" the cities virtues. Please support the EIR # 37-03 plan for expansion and help promote the City of Long Beach as a vibrant place to do business and vacation in.

Robert Flippen

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